

Ladies
OutfittersThe Store
For Women

Easter Suit Sale

OWING TO THE GREAT DEMAND OVER SALE OF HIGH GRADE LADIES' SUITS WILL CONTINUE UNTIL AFTER EASTER.

THE ASSORTMENT IS THOROUGHLY COMPLETE, INCLUDING THE VERY LATEST AND SWEETEST NOVELTIES OF THE SEASON.

OCEAN, BAR,
BAY, DOCK
AND RIVER

There was a good deal of amusement in the office of the Columbia River Bar Pilots' Association, yesterday afternoon, where somebody (presumably, George Nelson), had started a discussion as to the Apostolic personnel; the attempts of the "old seadogs" present to recapitulate the 12 and the attendant disputes, claims and denials bandied about, constituted one of the funniest arguments heard there in a long while. When all hands had gotten the subject well man-handled, and all had failed to give the list, the fun was given impetus by putting the question to visitors, including some reporters, none of whom were better posted. The laugh was on everybody, except Nelson, and he had a printed or written list in his clothes, from which, with great caution, he undertook to set the crowd right; but everybody realized that without such a guide he would have been as helpless as the last man in the class.

Under date of March 24th last, and under the seal of Uncle Sam himself, in the "Port Facilities" pamphlet issued from the Hydrographic Office, with the sanction and authority of the Secretary of the Navy, there is a bit of information of some concern to the people of the Columbia river valley, to the following effect: "Astoria, Or.—The depth of the water on the bar at the average of the lower low water is 24 feet. Have not been able to do any sounding for some time on account of bad weather. (From information furnished the Branch Hydrographic Office February 16, 1909, by the Oregon Bar Pilots.)"

The steamship Breakwater was among the early craft down the river yesterday morning. She went to sea with excellent business, bound for Coos Bay points.

The steamer St. Helen's arrived in from San Francisco, very early yesterday morning, and discharged nearly 100 tons of local cargo at the Callender dock, before leaving up stream.

The steamship Rose City is due down the river tonight at midnight, on her way to San Francisco. The change back to the daylight run down the Columbia, for the S. F. & P. boats, does not begin the outward trip of the steamship Senator next week.

The steamer Argo was among the early outgoing fleet yesterday. She went to sea and Tillamook, with good business in cabins and hold.

The new steam schooner Carlos, of San Francisco, will soon be out on the San Francisco-Astoria-Portland run, in conjunction with the Cascades, Yellowstone and Yosemite of the McCormack line. The Carlos belongs to H. J. Freitch, of the Bay City.

The Callender Navigation Company's latest addition to its fleet, the tug Myrtle will be in readiness to take up her share of the work in about 10 days. She is a stout, well-made, handy craft, with no "fibs-dibs," just plain good boat.

When the Kamm liner Lurline went up stream last evening she had the following names on her passenger register: J. L. Woods, G. Fleckenstein, J. McKean, S. N. Holsapple, J. Peterson, A. E. Kiljunen, Chas. E. Morris, T. E. Trafton, and A. Juhrs.

The steamer Bowdoin is due down the river sometime today, outward bound for the Bay City with lumber.

The Standard Oil steamship Atlas entered port yesterday afternoon, and went on to Portland without delay here.

Captain Peter Johns left out yesterday morning with the stout little launch Rose, for Tillamook Bay and Yaquina. He had an ideal day for the first leg of the cruise, at all events.

A special Sunday dinner will be served at the Parker House Restaurant next Sunday, from 11:30 a. m. until 8:00 p. m.

On Saturday, April 10th, the senior class of the high school will give a home-cooking sale at Ross, Higgins & Co. Call and see with what you can be pleased.

A grand ball will be given at Deep River in the Deep River hall, Saturday, April 10th. Music will be furnished by an Astoria orchestra. The steamer Gen'l. Washington has been chartered to carry the merry-making crowd from Astoria to Deep River, leaving Astoria at 8 p. m. and returning after the ball. Fare 25c return.

Phone 221.
For Rent—One five-room furnished flat, down town, with water, \$20. Inquire Sloop's 10c store.

MUST SELL All of Our Easter Post Cards by Sat. Evening,

So we are having a sale on them, all 10c, 5c, and 2 for 5c cards are selling at 3 for 5 cent. Come early and get your pick, 3 FOR 5 CENTS.

Real spring has come, with it has come warm weather and so have our Wash Skirts, etc. Come in and see them, you are not asked to buy, just look at them, and buy you are sure to, for prices are right, and low too.

Once Buy at **WATERMAN'S** And You Will ALWAYS BUY THERE

IT don't pay you to keep your papers at home when you can get a Deposit Box at \$2.25 a year with

THE BANKING SAVING & LOAN ASSOCIATION

168-10th Street. Phone Black 2184

RAILWAY OFFICIALS IN CITY YESTERDAY

PRESIDENTS HILL, OF G. N. AND CLARKE OF "NORTH BANK" PASS THROUGH THIS CITY.

Yesterday afternoon at 5:20 o'clock the special train of President Louis W. Hill, of the Great Northern Railway, rolled into the A. & C. depot here, the "Seven-spot" of the latter road hauling the passenger coach and the "Goldendale," the private car of President Francis R. Clarke, of the Seattle, Portland & Spokane, or "North Bank" road, from Portland to Seaside. President Clarke was on board, also.

Beside the two railway presidents named, General Superintendent D. Russell, of the S. P. & S. and the A. & C., and Superintendent John McGuire, of those lines, were also on the train. There was nothing significant in the visit of these officials. President Hill making a run of inspection over this property, and joining Mrs. Hill and family, who passed through the city in their private car, attached to No. 22, yesterday noon, en route to Seaside for a day's outing and rest. Messrs. Clarke and Russell accompanying him as his guests.

The party will return to this city this morning, and it is barely possible, will attend church, at St. Mary's it being Good Friday; after which the train will move Portland-ward.

Mr. Hill is in excellent spirits, and fairly sanguine of the early resumption of normal business conditions as soon as the present tariff agitation shall have subsided.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Mang Hing, did on the first day of April, 1909, sell all of his right, title and interest in and to the Astoria Restaurant, 399 Bond street, to Lung Kee, and from and after the first day of April, all bills will be paid by Lung Kee, and all bills prior to said date, will be paid by Mang Hing. The business will be conducted by Lung Kee, under the name, The Astoria Restaurant.

MANG HING,
LUNG KEE.

Astoria, Or., April 5, 1909.

NEW TO-DAY

Kelley, The Wood Man.
Wm. Kelley, the wood and coal dealer, is prepared to supply the public and all his old customers with the best slabwood that Astoria has ever seen. He promises not to join any combination to raise the price of wood and he will keep his old title of "the man who keeps the price down." Ring up Main 2191 for particulars.

FLORISTS.

PLANTS OF ALL KINDS—Choice roses, flowering shrubs, cut flowers, artistic bouquets furnished weddings and funerals. Columbia Nurseries, 516 Bond.

Phone Or Write.

Phone Main 881 or write F. A. Fisher, Twelfth street, about Ideal Vacuum Cleaners. Earl A. Fisher.

CARPETS AND RUGS.

FINE NEW FULL LINE CARPET samples just received. See them. Also agents Fluff Rug Company. Zapi Furniture & Hardware Co.

The very best board to be obtained in the city is at "The Occident Hotel." Rates very reasonable.

Wood at the Same Old Price.

While the Astoria Fuel & Supply Co. is not talking much, it is still delivery fine inside spruce and fir wood and all kinds of cordwood at the same old price.

The Modern.

The best and most up-to-date tonorial parlor in the city is The Modern. Perfect comfort and service guaranteed to all. Excellent baths.

Try our own mixture of coffee—the P. B. Fresh fruit and vegetables Radollet & Co., grocers. Phone Main.

The Proper Place.

Go to the Occident Barber Shop if you are particular and desire first-class service. Satisfaction guaranteed. An expert bootblack and porter has also been engaged.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Has the Signature of J. C. Atkinson

MAGNIFICENT NERVE OF YOUNG NEW YORKER

WHOLESALE EFFRONTRY IN HIS DEALINGS AND JOKES EVEN THE POLICE.

NEW YORK, April 8.—A young man who said he was Hamilton E. Crampton, 23 years old, a clerk, but who, the police say, is Carl N. Day, alias Richard N. Stevens, once an inmate of the Elmire, N. Y., reformatory, is held by the police today after having been arrested in West 56th Street last night at the home of a young woman. Several and various charges of larceny were responsible for his arrest. "Beauty" a \$50 bull pup was taken into custody along with the young man. The youth went to a cell; the pup was tied to a desk at headquarters.

It is alleged by the police that Day wrote many letters from Chicago to New York merchants, giving 137 Michigan Avenue as his address and saying that he was agent for a publishing firm and was about to visit New York to purchase \$1500 worth of books. When he arrived here it is said, he deposited a check on a Chicago bank for \$497 and then launched on a series of mysterious operations. He acquired offices in two different buildings and scattered checks broadcast. Each of the checks in turn was turned down by the Plaza Bank with the endorsement, "Drawn against an uncollected account."

Adding further complications to his enterprise, the young man took rooms at several hotels simultaneously, registering under a different name at each.

Now comes the bull pup that was indirectly responsible for his downfall. On April 5, when having his boots blacked at a stand, he took a fancy to the bootblack's dog and bought the animal. But instead of taking the dog away with him, he got a boy to deliver "Beauty" to the young woman at whose house he was arrested. When the boot-black couldn't get the check cashed he notified the police and through the boy who had delivered the dog detectives traced Day. The man was placed under arrest. He said, "It was lucky for you that you didn't wait a week longer. I would have been on the high seas with my bride."

Instead, he will appear in court some time today.

A STOCKING CHARGE

WASHINGTON, Ind., April 8.—Suit has been filed by Miss Laura Britt Clark against Rev. E. E. Davidson. The complaint recites the story of an alleged fake marriage at St. Louis in December last and prays that it be declared valid; that Davidson be enjoined from repudiating the marriage and that he be compelled to maintain the woman. Service was obtained and the case will be heard at the next term of the Davies Circuit Court. The minister protests his innocence.

OUT FOR SENATOR

LAFORTE, Ind., April 8.—Friends of Former Governor J. Frank Hanley say that formal announcement will be made of his candidacy for United States Senator against Albert J. Beveridge. Mr. Hanley, it is asserted believes his battle for temperance will give him a lead in the Legislature.

AMERICANS UNHAPPY

Chicago Professor Gives a Few Reasons For This.

CHICAGO, April 8.—"We modern Americans are the most unhappy people that have ever lived on the face of the earth. Why?"

"1—Because we are the most prosperous people."

"2—Because we are the freest people."

"3—Because we are the most highly educated."

So says Professor Albion W. Small of the University of Chicago in a communication to the Chicago Woman's Club.

"Freedom and education," continues the professor, "make for unhappiness. They bring serious responsibilities. They make the individual see and feel the actual inequality of men. They flood society with problems that tax the mind and sear the heart."

"But let us not despair. The talent for misery is the fountain of progress. It is only when men can picture to themselves what they lack and what they want and can work up enough genuine dissatisfaction to get themselves into action that they accomplish anything worth while."

Suits and Millinery for less. Where? At Jaloff's.

FOR RENT—NICE FURNISHED room on sunny side of street for one or two gentlemen. Apply at 577 Commercial street.



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Our showings for this Easter are better than ever. Some very swell fabrics, styles and patterns.

H. S. & M. CLOTHES are all-wool under a guarantee.

\$18.00 TO \$40.00

Easter Ties Some very swell patterns this year
Easter Hats In Green, Tan, Olive, Corn, Etc.
Easter Shirts Swell Patterns \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00

DUNLAP HAT OPENING

P. A. Stokes "YOUR CLOTHIER" If Not Your the Loser

FEARFUL LAPSE

NEW HAVEN, April 8.—Charles Austen Osten, the man who has mystified and puzzled the physicians here by his lapse of memory and loss of identity, will be taken to New York today in order that he may see the streets and scenes with which he is supposed to have been familiar. In this way it is hoped that the mist may be cleared from his brain. While hypnotized Osten has talked incoherently of his former home in New York, but otherwise he remembers nothing. When not hypnotized his mind is blank but enough has been learned through the experiments made on him to indicate that he came from New York.

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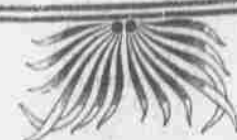
TOREADORS IN NEW YORK

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LOUISVILLE Ky., April 8.—It is declared fitting by the Chili Con Carne Club of Louisville, which boasts the most illegible writers in the world, barring China, that J. F. Walker, of St. Louis should have inaugurated a new custom of stamping names on hotel registers in this city. Mr. Walker said he startled the clerks at a local hotel last night by affixing his name with a rubber stamp upon the register.

Before Easter Sales



NEW SPRING WAISTS \$1.75 AND \$2 VALUES \$1.39

Simington Dry Goods Co. COR. FOURTEENTH AND COMMERCIAL